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More Catchable Trout Promised For This Season

Fish, Game Officials Tell Plans For Season In This Region

This region will have more trout of catchable size planted this year than last and prospects for the season are bright.

This assurance came out of a meeting of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen and officials of the state department of fish and game at Capitol Hall last Thursday.

The tentative allotment of trout to be planted was given by Biologist Jack Frazier with Regional Manager Robert Montgomery and other fish and game spokesmen explaining the proposed program for the year.

Under the present plan streams and lakes in this immediate area will receive the following:

Truckee riverr 60,000 catchables.
Little Truckee 10,000 catchables.
Donner Lake 35,000 catchables, 100,000 Kokanee.
Donner creek 6,000 catchables.
Prosser creek 5,000 catchables.
Yuba river 60,000 catchables.
Blackwood creek 5,000 catchables.
Ward creek 4,000 catchables.
Boca reservoir 20,000 fingerlings.
Independence 40,000 fingerlings.
30,000 cut throat fingerlings.
Lake Tahoe 150,000 fingerlings.

Other lakes and streams in the vicinity will receive plants with many of the high country lakes being planted by airplane. Frazier said.

The Bear Valley Base will be used for planting catchables with trucks hauling into the area.

Frazier explained that the state has discontinued planting fingerlings in streams because of the high loss. However, he said, these smaller fish seem to do well in some lakes where they are being planted annually.

Montgomery spoke briefly on the income and costs of the department, explaining that all revenue comes from license and that if the organized sportsmen need more fish and game projects, then the cost of licenses must be advanced to provide revenue. He did not advocate an increase but simply explained the procedure necessary.

The meeting was devoted almost entirely to the fish program, with stream improvement, beaver plant and other matters being discussed in an informal manner.

It was pointed out that arguments that private fish farms can produce catchable trout cheaper than the state has been doing, has been found wrong. Private fisheries, it was explained claim costs of from 90 cents to $1.20 a pound compared to the cost to the state of from 60 cents to $1 a pound.

More than 150 attended the session which was presided over by Charles Osburn, president of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen who turned the meeting over to Frazier.

Among other officials present were Captain Ken Hooker, Warden Irv Single, Allen Pollett, Jeff Rice, Don Evins and Charles Reed of the Tahoe hatchery, Bob Butler and Bill Griswald, head of the Nevada fish and game department.

The latter spoke on the dangers to sportsmen of the proposed Washoe Project in event it passes in its present form.

BROCKWAY THEATER REOPENS FOR SEASON

KINGS BEACH — The Brockway Theater has reopened for the year, Manager Tom Lucas reports.

For the time being there will be no shows on Tuesdays or Wednesdays and only one show nightly, starting at 7:45 P. M.

On Wednesday, March 16, Lucas will present a benefit show for the North Tahoe Fire Department. All the proceeds going to the department. The benefit show, appropiately enough is entitled "Fireman Save My Child" and features Spike Jones.

Former Recorder Of Nevada County Expires

Funeral services for Samuel J. etaoin etaoin etaoin etaoin etaoi Clark, 75, were held today in Grass Valley. Clark was a former Nevada County recorder for 32 years previous to his retirement 14 years ago. He is survived by his wife and one sister.

COUPLE RETURN AFTER MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lapp have returned here following their marriage on February 12 at Las Vegas. Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper attended the couple during the ceremony which was performed by Rev. Thomas J. Daly in the chapel of the Wee Kirk of the Heather.

The bride is the former Jean Sage and is well known here. Lapp whose family home is at Penryn, came here two years ago and was employed by the Stockton Box Company.

The newlyweds are receiving the good wishes of their friends since the nuptials.

Travel Drops Over Local Highway In Month of January

Travel into California by way of the Truckee quarantine station hit a low during January when only 16,931 cars, 3,047 trucks and 593 buses were checked. This compares with 16,720 cars during January last year and 17,814 for December.

At Meyers on Highway 50 at the south end of Lake Tahoe 2158 cars, 204 commercial vehicles and no buses were inspected, according to the monthly report of the state department of agriculture.

This was a drop from December when 2844 cars were checked at that station and compares with the 2569 inspected there in January of 1954.

The count does not include local vehicles nor those plying between the western part of Nevada and California and only includes west bound vehicles.

SACRAMENTO— (CNS) — Increased travel into California by automobile during January was indicated in a report of the state bureau of plant quarantine.

The bureau's border inspection stations tallied 216,416 cars entering the state, compared with 200,041 for the same month last year.

The number of foreign cars increased totaling 112,929 as compared with 104,556 one year ago. Cars of California registry also increased from 95,485 to 103,487.

Trucks numbered 24,956, nearly 3000 more than January, 1954.

The number of people entering the state by automobile during the month totaled 640,812, about 39,000 more than a year ago.

Precipitation During Feb. Less Than Inch

The U. S. Forest Service here reports that there has been no precipitation for the past week and that the total for this month is only .98 of an inch compared to a normal of 5.29 inches for the month.

Normal precipitation for the season, to the end of this month is 19.43 inches, with only 13.95 to date, showing a definite lack of moisture for the season.

Henry Toccalini said that there are 18 inches of snow measured at the forest service station. The high temperature for the past week was 40 degrees on Washington's Birthday, and a low of zero was recorded on the previous day.

FOOD SALE WILL BE HELD HERE FRIDAY

A food sale will start at 10:30 a. m. in Duane Freeman's Do-Nut Shop tomorrow, February 25 given by members of the Womens Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church

Many luncheon dishes, featuring chili beans, macaroni and salads will be sold to raise money for the local group.

Rotary Meets

Nelson Lewis spoke before the Rotary Club on Monday evening at Brown's Cafe, Alvah Hooper presiding over the business session.

Johnny Ciardella was the program chairman and Dr. Croisette and Dr. Schleuniger visited from El Segundo. The club members will hold a dinner meeting at the Star Hotel on March 28.

Miss Parsons Speaks On Travels At Meeting

Miss Adele Parsons, a member of the nursing staff at the Tahoe Forest Hospital, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the International Relations Section of the American Association of University Women held at Town Talk Monday.

Miss Parsons spoke on her two months trip in 1954 to Northern Europe, illustrating the talk with pictures of interest. Mrs. Leland Smith, section chairman, presided.

Birth Date—

Everett Parker celebrated his birthdate anniversary on Wednesday.

Six Injured When Cars Collide On Street In Truckee

Two Critically Hurt After Truck In Wrong Lane

Five young women from the bay area and a Sacramento bread truck driver were seriously injured in a spectacular headon car crash on West Main street here Saturday morning.

Two of the victims, Miss Joan Mell, 21, Oakland, and Antoinette Lynch, 23, San Francisco Sunday were taken to a Reno hospital by Truckee ambulance and were receiving specialized attention. On Tuesday, the other three women, Marie Cieri, 23, Oakland, Patricia Howe, 27, San Francisco and Carolyn Kleyn, 19, San Francisco were removed by Truckee ambulance to an Oakland hospital.

The truck driver, Charles Alexander, 38, Sacramento, was treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital but his condition was not believed to be serious.

According to the officers of the California Highway Patrol who investigated, the bread truck, driven by Alexander was traveling west and was almost entirely on the wrong side of the street. The car driven east by Miss Cieri, pulled as far to the right as possible, the patrol reported, but was unable to avoid the truck and the two vehicles crashed headon at terrific force.

Alexander, who had just completed a delivery to the Curran Distributing Company here, told the investigating officers that he "blanked out" and remembered nothing after he left the store.

Dr. Ben King was among the first to reach the scene of the accident and was able to render immediate aid to the most seriously injured.

TOM SHEEHAN TO HEAD CYO FOR TERM

Tom Sheehan was elected president of the Catholic Youth Organization at the meeting held Tuesday evening in the Parish Hall of Assumption Church. Karen Decker was elected vice president.

With the help of social advisors Miss Audry Welch, Mrs. Jerry Little and Mrs. Karl Kielhofer, plans were made by the young people to hold a scavenger hunt Tuesday evening, March 1st. The activity will be followed by a chili bean supper.

Instruction Classes To Be Held At Churches

Classes of instruction will be held by Rev. Ronan Brennan in Corpus Christi Church at Tahoe City each Wednesday evening and at Our Lady of the Lake Church at Kings Beach, following devotions.

All persons interested in entering the classes are welcome to attend, Father Brennon said.

Change Announced In Personnel At Bank Here

Changes in the personnel at the Truckee branch of Bank of America were announced this week by R. E. Saunders, branch manager.

Al Koolhof, Jr., for the past three years note teller at the bank is leaving on March 7th and will join the inspection department at the main office in San Francisco. This is considered a worthwhile promotion and Koohlof's friends join in wishing him success. Active in club affairs here, the young man will be missed as will his family.

Koolhof is being replaced here by Thomas Peschong of Placerville who is scheduled to arrive to take up his new duties next Monday.

Girl Scouts Earn Ski Awards At Hill Top

Girl Scouts of Troop No. 2 have been busy on their winter sports badges, working for the honors at Crandall's Hilltop Lodge. Those completing their work in skiing this week were Dorothea Frey, Varian Frey, Cynthia Reynolds, Karen Smart, Diana McGihon, Terra Ann Kaylor.

SUNBEAMS

By WALTER M. BARRETT

Virtually every organization in this district has gone on record as vigorously opposing, in its present form, the proposed Washoe Project. This gigantic program is designed to make radical changes in the water setup on the east slope of the Sierra and should be of vital concern to every resident of the area as well as our state and national representatives. Diversion of California water through a five-mile tunnel directly into a Nevada powerhouse, changing the channel of the Truckee River, molesting the height of the waters in Lake Tahoe and endangering local fish life, are numbered among the various objections to the plan Legislators should be asked to withhold favorable action on the bill providing for the project until such a time as the proposed Nevada-California Water Compact sought by Governor Knight and already approved by the Nevada legislature, can function. It is quite possible that a solution can be worked out through this compact which would still provide Nevada interests with the water they desire and at the same time give protection to California interests. If your organization has not already done so, we suggest that you contact your Washington representatives and advise them of your desire in the matter before it is too late. Already time is running out and apparently none is giving too much attention to the wishes of the people of this immediate area, those to be most affected by the plan.

PROGRAM PLANNED BY VISITING CLUBS

The Truckee Chamber of Commerce is preparing for the reception of between 400 and 500 guests at the Bay Area Ski Federation's annual Winter Carnival to be held Saturday, March 5th at the Veterans' Memorial Hall here.

Hal Welch, chamber president said this week, that one of the features of the show will be the appearance of Marsha Hunt, well known theater personality, who is coming as a guest of the federation.

Charles Dondero of Oakland has been chosen master of ceremonies. DeWitt Auld is president of the group.

Following the carnival events here Saturday night, the group will go to Donner Summit where ski meets are scheduled.

Many New Buicks Are Purchased In Truckee

C. E. Osburn, owner of Osburn's Buick Garage, reports the sale of three new 1955 Buicks during the past week. Latest to take delivery were Ronald Grinstead, Tahoe City who has a new Riveria, Charles R. Heller of Truckee, a new 2-door Super and Jay Patton who has a Century Riveria.

Other recent new car sales reported by the garage include those to Walter Barrett, Jack Neugebauer, Joseph Straub, Earl Smith, Mrs. Gilbert Koebel and Norman Lapp.

Osburn said sales of the new Buick are exceeding all expectations.

Stove Fire Brings Out Local Fire Department

An incipient fire in an electric range at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Olson last Friday brought the fire department out in record time, with the new truck making its second run since its arrival.

No damage was caused, Chief N. F. Dolley reported.

BOY CHRISTENED

Father Ronan Brennan officiated last week at the christening of Michael William, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bechdolt at the services held at Corpus Christi Catholic Church at Tahoe City. A reception was later held at the Bechdolt home.

Tel-Co, 20-30 Club Win Game During Past Week's Play

Wolverines Continue Loses In Conference Game With Stewart

Last Thursday night's opener saw the Tel-Cos pick up their initial win of the season as they dumped a picked team of City League players 44 to 31. The Lions Club, scheduled to play the Tel-Cos, had to forfeit their game as they failed to show.

In the night-cap, the 20-30 Club maintained their hold on the first place tie in the City loop standings with a 44 to 28 win over the Donner Club. Ken Gordon and Al Schell were close in scoring for the 20-30 with 18 and 14 respectively. Ray Dixon led the Donners with nine.

In the first game last Monday night, the Lions Club again were unable to suit five players and had to forfeit their game to the St. Louis Club. However, another league player was used by the Lions and the game was played, with the St. Louis winning 37 to 35.

In the late game Monday, the Tel-Cos upset the Donner Club 45 to 39. Trailing by four points at half time, the determined Tel-Cos came back strong in the second period of play and outscored the Barmen 10 points. Dale Freeland led the winners with 22 while Ray Dixon was high for the losers with 11.

Tonight's regular scheduled City loop games have been cancelled and will be played at a later date

The Truckee Athletic Club team will travel to Fallon this evening where they will meet the powerful Capucci-Weaver club of that city. The following league players and the club they represent will make tonight's trip for the AC's. Al Schell, William Curran and Jack Lambres of the 20-30 Club; Al Wakefield, Don Jackson and John Rablin of the American Legion; Jack White and Joe Copeland of the St. Louis; Les Davidson and Ray Dixon of the Donner Club.

Next Monday night in the 7 p.m. opener, the 20-30 Club will take on the Lions Club. To date the Lions have been the only team to defeat the 20-30ans. In the night cap, the American Legion will be out to maintain their first place tie in the loop standings when they tangle with the Donner Club.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct
20-30 Club	7	1	.875
American Legion	7	1	.875
St. Louis	4	5	.444
Donner Club	4	5	.444
Lions Club	2	7	.222
Tel-Cos	2	7	.222

The Stewart Indians slipped by the Tahoe-Truckee Wolverines 60 to 59 Friday night in a Western Conference "A" Division game.

It was a tough one to lose for the Wolverines as the game showed their best efforts of the year.

Stewart got off to an early start but Truckee came back strong in the second quarter and were on top of a 27 to 26 halftime score.

Still leading by two points going into the final frame, the Wolverines tired momentarily and fell within one point but as luck would have it, he missed the fourth with the Braves taking the rebound and holding the ball the remainder of the game.

Spining still took high joint behind. With seconds remaining and Stewart leading 60 to 56, Truckee's Clayton Spining hit three free throws to put the local team honors with ease as he bucketed 21 for the contest. Tom and George of Stewart followed with 15 and 14 respectively and Doug Wilson's 13 followed.

In the JV contest, Stewart downed Tahoe-Truckee 36 to 33. Ramos of Stewart and Cooper of the Wolverines led the scoring with 15 points each.

Catch Fish—

From Correos, Mexico, Richard Joseph wrote that his sister and Mr. and Mrs. George Kaspian are enjoying the southern climate. Mrs. Kaspian landed a 140-pound fish after a struggle lasting 40 minutes.

Attend Meeting—

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Philippi and Mrs. C. R. Heller this week attended an Easter Star meeting at Yuba City.

Van Sickle Team Wins Preliminary In Fairbanks Race

Lloyd Van Sickle and his team of dogs from Truckee won the Fairbanks Merchants' sled dog race in Alaska February 13, according to Fairbanks Daily News-Miner.

The Truckee, Calif., musher, the paper says, won the event by a margin of three minutes and 14 seconds, posting the winning time of 84 minutes, 39 seconds over the snow drifted 17¾ mile trail.

The race was run in one heat since the previous Sunday event was cancelled by cold weather and it gives the winner the trophy and $100 in cash.

Van Sickle won two of the four trophies offered for the 1955 preliminary races. For posting third place in total elapsed time for all of the preliminaries, Van Sickle won an additional $20 in the February 13th race.

Thirteen teams were entered in the event.

Editorial Comment

Chuck Hoyt, columnist for the News-Miner, has the following to say about the local driver and his dogs: There really must be something to these Targhee hounds as dog sled racers, as they not only captured another race in Fairbanks yesterday over the Huskies, but won a statewide race.

Lloyd Van Sickle, the California with his hounds romped in a winner by three minutes at the final preliminary race yesterday and in the 36th annual running of the All-American Dog Derby championships at West Yellowstone. Montana, Sunday the hounds came in first, with only one team of Huskies finishing the 16 mile race.

Boy Scout Drive Opens On Monday

An 8 o'clock kick-off breakfast at Goodfellow Coffee Shop Monday morning will mark the opening of the annual one-day drive here to raise funds for the Boy Scout program, General chairman, E. V. O'Rourke, announced today.

As an added incentive for an early response to the members of the six teams, Reginald Smart, coffee shop manager, has promised a free breakfast to the first complete team to arrive for the meal.

Captains for the drive are N. F. Dolley, William Englehart, Jr., Reg. Smart, Daven Morey, Ken Hedlund, with John Finnegan, drive auditor.

Wyethia Club Dinner Slated For March 4th

Past presidents of the Wyethia Women's Club will be hostesses at the opening dinner to be held at Capitol Hall Friday, March 4 at 7:30 P. M.

All members are being urged to make their reservations at Cabona's Store by March 3rd.

Industrial Accident Hearings March 8th

The Industrial Accident Commission will hold hearings on industrial injury cases at the Truckee Justice Court room beginning March 8. Cases to be heard include Wray vs. John H. Bosche and Ferguson vs Truckee Lumber Co., Sierra Logging Co., Pete Glenn and Scaramo.

Has Operation

C. B. White, prominent local resident, underwent an operation in a Reno hospital Tuesday. His son, Bernard White of Sacramento, is here visiting with Mrs. White.

Lake Chamber to Meet

A luncheon meeting of the Lake Tahoe-Sierra Chamber of Commerce board of directors will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, March 4 in Tahoe Inn at Tahoe City. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Temporary Closing —

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown closed their restaurant Tuesday evening for at least three weeks during which time they plan to do some needed repairs and redecorating.

Stead Officer Is Drowned After Boat Capsizes

Second Man Clings To Boat In Tragic Mishap Lake Tahoe

BULLETIN

The body of Captain Urban J. Bonneau was found yesterday in seven feet of water, 100 feet off shore from Sandy Harbor by Max Kreuger, North Tahoe Fire Department chief. The boat was recovered Tuesday night at 10 o'clock by Joe Lory of Incline Beach and Roy Porath and Ray Plunkett of Kings Beach who were among the searchers.

Scores of boats and volunteer searchers yesterday were continuing efforts to locate the body of Captain Urban J. Bonneau, Stead Air Force officer, who is believed to have drowned in a boat accident near Crystal Bay.

Captain Bonneau was thought to have drowned when he attempted to swim to shore from a capsized boat to which he and A-1c John C. Jordan had clung for more than two hours Tuesday afternoon.

Jordan held perilously to the boat as Captain Bonneau struck out for shore, then sank out of sight in the freezing water.

Powerful floodlights and walkie talkie radios aided the search parties Tuesday night as they combed the perilous shoreline from Sand Harbor to Crystal Bay.

The tragedy was discovered at 5 P. M. Tuesday when Gilbert Wright of Oakland and Marla Bay found Jordan collapsed at the side of the highway near Sand Harbor and rushed him to the hospital at Carson City.

Jordan, according to Carson City Officer James Bender, was suffering from exposure and shock and seemed to be in "pretty bad shape."

Jordan told Officer Bender that the small outboard boat capsized about 200 yards off shore in heavy waves as he and Captain Bonneau were attempting to get back to land.

The two men clung to the boat for more than two hours before Captain Bonneau resolved to swim into shore. Jordan said they were about 40 yards away when the officer struck out.

After covering half the distance Jordan said, Captain Bonneau faltered and slipped under the waves. He rose once to shout, then disappeared from sight in the whitecaps.

Jordan clung to the boat an additional hour until it drifted to shore near Sand Harbor. He dragged himself out of the lake and collapsed in a snowbank until 5 A.M. when he fought his way to the road.

Jordan said he and Captain Bonneau started fishing about 8:30 A. M. and trolled back and forth in their small boat until 11 A. M. when they pulled in to refuel.

They started back into the lake but tried to turn back after about 200 yards. Jordan's watersoaked watch was stopped at 12:04 P. M., the approximate time the boat capsized.

Officer said the description of the accident made it almost certain Captain Bonneau drowned but they did not discount the possibility he may have reached shore and the intensiver search was organized.

The victim leaves his wife, a resident of Sparks, Nevada.

JOHNSON TO SPEAK ON WASHOE PLAN

Senator Harold Johnson of Roseville is scheduled to speak at the spring meeting of the Sacramento Valley Council of the State Chamber of Commerce on Friday, March 4 at 10:30 a.m. in the Hotel Senator at Sacramento. He will discuss the Lake Tahoe water level with the subject: "Is the Washoe Project a Threat?"

The topic is timely and should prove of great interest to the residents of this area.

Wakefields Leaving To Reside At Roseville

Mr .and Mrs. Al Wakefield and children will soon leave for Roseville where he has been transferred by the Southern Pacific Company. Their departure is regretted as the young couple has been active in community affairs during residence in Truckee.

Floriston Cub Scouts Enjoy Holiday Party

Mrs. Alex Ayala, den mother of Cub Scout Troop No. 1, Florston, gave a party for the members in observance of Washington's Birth date when older brothers and two prospective Cubs, Mike Ingalls and Skippy Peterson were special guests.

The boys roasted weiners and marshmellows and finished off the repast with salad, cookies and ice cream.

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Meet 2nd and 4th Friday at I.O.O.F. Hall, Truckee.
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ROTARY CLUB OF BROCKWAY
Meets every Monday at 7 P. M.
At Cal-Vada Lodge, Crystal Bay
A. E. ABBOTT President
E. J. STOKES Secretary

TRUCKEE CHAPTER NO. 116 ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
Meets each first and third Tuesday of the month in the Masonic Building at Truckee.
HILDA HINTZ, W.M.
LOUISE ANDERSON, Secretary.

ROTARY CLUB OF TAHOE CITY
Meets Tuesday at 7:15 P.M. at Tahoe Inn, Tahoe City.
BILL CONNERS, President
JIM MARTIN, Secretary

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Harold Welch, President
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TRUCKEE LODGE NO. 200 F. & A. M.
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TRUCKEE POST NO. 439 AMERICAN LEGION
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday each month in Veteran Memorial Hall at 7 P. M.
ROBT. LEAMON, Com.
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Meets Wednesday at Truckee Elem. School at 7:30 P. M.
CHET BURNS, President.
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DONNER LODGE NO. 162 I. O. O. F.
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, at I.O.O.F. Hall, Truckee.
STEVE COZZI, Noble Grand

TRUCKEE LIONS CLUB
Meets Wednesdays at 7 P. M. at Donner Lake Lodge.
EARL K. STICE, President
HOWARD NEWSHAM, Secretary.

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Meets every Monday at 7 P. M. at Brown's Cafe
ALVAH HOOPER, President
R. R. FRANK, Secretary

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FOE
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at Odd Fellows Hall
RAY GUYMER, President
JOHN RAU, Secretary

AFFAIRS OF STATE
by Henry C. MacArthur

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—California's new state liquor administrator, Russell S. Munro, of Sacramento, a career boy in the state department of public works who in ,nine years worked his way up from an attorney in that department to the position of deputy director, apparently has several strikes on him before he starts in his new position.

Whether the California state senate will question the appointment as yet remains to be seen. but in any event, Munro has made little headway with some senators because of his asserted dictatorial attitude during a senate committee investigation last month.

He admitted freely before this committee, which was probing the firing of a state employe named Alton R. Cummings, who worked with the state division of architecture, that he (Munro) considered gifts of whiskey, turkeys, and the use of state automobiles by state employes driving to and from work, were "minor cases of misconduct."

Munro was the state official to whom statements regarding irregularities in the state division of architecture were referred for investigation by Gov. Goodwin J. Knight. The statements were made by Cummings, who was subpoenaed to a hearing by Munro, which he attempted to keep secret but opened to the press after wind of the hearing was obtained by Capitol News Service.

The opening hearing developed into nothing at all, and later, with no public notice, another hearing was called, and the public was not invited. Neither was the press, although the Cummings charges had gained widespread interest throughout the state.

Cummings was fired by the department of public works following the investigation for Munro, for what appeared to be his temerity in calling public attention to the irregularities, which involved alleged removal of supplies from jobs, driving state automobiles long distances for "coffee breaks," acceptance of turkeys and whiskey by state employes from contractors.

The charges, Munro found, were "substantiated." He did admit subsequently before the senate investigating committee that the turkey and whiskey gift charges were factual, but he held they were only "minor cases of misconduct."

Munro also has set himself up as an arbitrar of what the public shall know, and what it shall not know, in the conduct of the affairs of the state department of public works.

Requested for a list of individuals who apply for specifications on state highway contracting jobs, Munro denied a reporter this list. on the grounds that it was not "in the public interest." He admitted that there is no law requiring the department to keep the list secret. A similar list of persons who ask for specifications on division of architect jobs is obtainable, but the department of public works felt that the highway contractors might object if the highway list were issued. Although the list appears to be public record, the department now supposedly is contacting highway contractors to determine whether or not they object if the list is given out.

Munro admitted shortly after his appointment that he knows nothing about the alcoholic beverage industry, and said that on the previous night he read the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act for the first time. However, he pledged "fair and consistent" enforcement of state liquor laws.

FORMER LAKE BOY IN ATOMIC WORK

CAMP RUCKER, Ala.—Army Pfc. Richard I. Astle, formerly of Kings Beach, is a member of the 511th Airborne Regimental Combat Team, which will serve as an aggressor force in "Exercise Follow Me," a simulated atomic warfare maneuver in Alabama.

Regularly stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky., the 511th has headquarters at Camp Rucer, Ala., for the exercise. The combat team will "attack" elements of the "friendly" 3d Infantry Division forces. Astle, is the son of Ivan A. Astle.

Engineer Expected

Stanislaus M. Zeutzytski, West German bobsled engineer, is expected at Squaw Valley later this month to commence plans for a bobsled course of Olympic standards to be used for the 1960 Olympics, should the American resort be finally selected.

AUBURN SKI CLUB TO HOLD MEET ON FEBRUARY 27

AUBURN—President Roy Mikkelsen of the Auburn Ski Club announces that the Auburn Ski Club will hold its 25th annual Invitational Jumping Tournament on Sunday, February 27 at the Auburn Ski Club grounds above Cisco on Highway 40. This will be the silver anniversary of the event.

Officiating at this tournament will be Sig Vettestad, first state champion, and Orrin Ellingson, first runner-up in the original tournament, held 25 years ago on Highway 40 in Baxter Canyon. Orrin Ellingson will be the tournament director and Sig will mark distances. These two veterans will also make exhibition jumps at the tourney.

On Saturday, February 25, the Auburn Ski Club will sponsor the 100th running of the Snowshoe Thompson 12-mile cross country race.

Invitations are being mailed to the Tahoe-Squaw Valley Ski Club, Truckee Outing Club, Reno Ski Club, Sugar Bowl Ski Club, Viking Ski Club of San Francisco, Mt Lassen Ski Club, Modesto Jr. College, and Sierra College.

Jumping events will include Classes A, B, C, and D. The A and B classes will use the Master Hill. and C and D classes will use the smaller jumping hill to the east of the Master Hill.

Work crews have already started getting these hills in condition for the coming event.

The 12-mile Cross Country Snowshoe Thompson race course will be laid out under the direction of Finn Rasmussen and Rolf Wigaard

Officials for these two events will be selected by tournament director Orrin Ellingson at a later date.

Held For Theft

AUBURN—Jefferson Dewberry, 25, and Ted A. Briones, 29, both of San Francisco, were released on bail of $250 each after a citizens' arrest was made by Norman Johnson and Carole Wells of Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, who charged them with theft of ski equipment at Squaw Valley.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 5557
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry G. Beck, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, Edward Meiss, Executor of the estate of Henry G. Beck, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, that within six months after the first publication of this notice, they either file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or exhibit them with the necessary vouchers in to the said Executor at the law offices of Francis W. Robichaud, Masonic Building, Truckee, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the county of Nevada, State of California.

Dated: February 7, 1955.
EDWARD MEISS,
Executor of the Estate of Henry G. Beck, Deceased.

Date of first publication, February 10, 1955.
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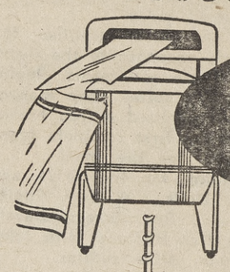
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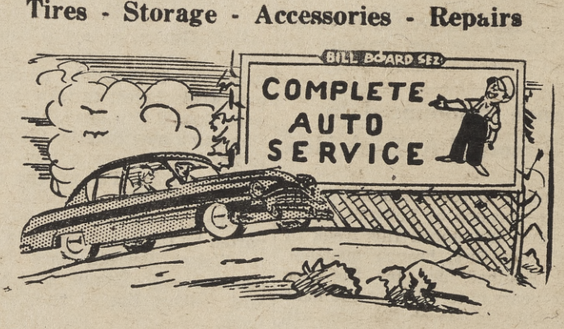

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TAHOE CITY — A-1st C. Florence Vernon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Vernon of Tahoe City, received orders here February 17 from the Air Reserve Record Center in Denver, to report for duty on March 18 to the 556 Air Defense Group, Hamilton Air Base, San Rafael, for processing and further assignment.

She was formerly stationed at that base for 21 months, between April 5, 1951 and January 16, 1953, at which time she was occupied in recreational work under special services. When she was mustered out at that time she made every effort to reenlist in this special work but for some time there were no openings.

She has reenlisted on this assignment for a period of four years, unless relieved from active duty sooner. In the inactive reserve she is now enlisted for a five year period. Her official title in the new assignment will be A-1 C. Photo Lab Technician, until such a time as she shall merit promotion to the next higher rank of staff sergeant. She is very well pleased to be back on regular duty stationed at a base of her first choice in work she likes and feels satisfaction to be able to work with old service friends again.

Seventy-nine areas in the United States have been set aside as wilderness areas.

NORTH TAHOE

By JUDGE HARRY CHARRISON

During the past week we had another small fire which was at Brockway Theater, Kings Beach,. The marquee on the outside af the theater caught fire and is thought to have been started by rain running into a transformer for the neon lights. The North Tahoe Fire Department answered the call and soon had the blaze under control, another feather in their caps.

After all these months, the ladies suddenly find out there is a beauty shop on the Truckee short cut just a mile up the road. Doris Arndt is the owner and told me all about it a few days ago when she ordered the Sierra Sun to be delivered to her. Drop in and see Doris. She is a swell person to know and now you can be more beautiful than ever.

Harry and Mrs. Pierson are up for a few days and Mrs. Pierson is staying with the Bert Kings at Kings Beach. I hear the reason for the visit is that they are buying the Don Bowman home at Tahoe City. And by the way, Don and Grace are here for a short time also. They are presently living at Las Vegas and it seems Don may be back at Cal-Neva this summer. We hope so, anyway.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars had a wonderful party at the Crystal Bay Club last Friday night. The place was literally packed. Ray Plunkett did himself proud, being the perfect host, he made the evening most enjoyable for all. The party kept going until the early hours and then those attending were reluctant to leave.

Well, what good news. We may have a North Tahoe Chamber of Commerce. Now is the opportunity for all of us, yes, and now of all times we can really put things together in our own way and show the world what Lake Tahoe really has. But it is up to all of us to put it over. Get in touch with Gene Jarvis and you will certainly get the lowdown. Remember it is for your benefit to do so.

The John Palmers left for Guerneville for a few days for business and pleasure and are getting lined up for the summer opening here.

Lee and Margaret Madden and of course the baby, are on their way to New Jersey where Lee's mother is reported to be pretty sick. They are driving and while they are there they will also visit Margaret's mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stich who will be visiting Tahoe Vista in July. Margaret tells me that her sister's husband is due in San Francisco pretty soon on a convention at which he will be the principal dance instructor.

The Charlie Mangs of Villa Resort, Tahoe Vista, are up from Sacramento for a couple of weeks or so, but will go out again before opening up for the coming season. I have a notion they will be watching TV before long, after taking stock of Meredith Siple's hookup which is good.

The buses that are bringing the sports fans up over the week ends are making a regular race track of the highway from Tahoe City to Crystal Bay.

Rev. A. B. Covher of Kings Beach attended a conference at San Francisco last week and of all the awful things, someone stole everything they had with them by breaking into their car. I hope they didn't steal my tie.

Following the services at the Methodist Church last Sunday, when Rev. Covher preached on "The Meaning of the United Nations" a discussion was held which proved very interesting. We are looking forward to next Sunday won't you come? The Zeitz memorial now stands at the $600 mark and efforts are being made to find an organ suitable. Let's get a real good one by donating a substantial sum toward this fund. Get in touch with Bud Mandeville.

Was glad to see Carol Wilson last Sunday. She is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilson at Lake Forest. She has grown almost as beautiful as her mother.

"Seems as though I never left," says Bob Stevenson, who is running the Chevron Station while the new owner, Lee Madden is away east.

It is nice to have the Brockway Theater open agoin. Tom Lucas, the owner, says it will be open on Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays until further notice.

Otis Wing, president of the Council of North Tahoe Organizations, tells me there will be a meeting on Friday night at the school house in Kings Beach at 7 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers. It is requested that all delegates be present and anyone interested is invited at attend.

Had a visit from Rev. and Mrs. Covher and now he tells me my tie WAS stolen with the rest of the articles. Shame on them.

Mr. and Mrs. Batchelor of Batchelor's Cottages, came up for the weekend and brought up a whole house full of friends with them. They will be back early in the spring.

The Washington Birthday week end was beautiful and bright. The was brilliant, but it was quite cold —a little above zero and the wind would freeze your ears off, but oh, boy, it was just wonderful.

I had the pleasure of meeting Harold (Red) Trackton, part owner of Cal-Neva Lodge. As you know, the lodge was sold some time ago. Harold is a swell fellow and it is assured that we shall be very happy with the new setup. Harold is from my old home town, Pasadena, so the meeting was pleasant talking over old times and acquaintances that we knew in that beautiful city.

There was almost a fire at the Kings Beach Liquor Store last Sunday night when, during the night, the back of the main fuse box was practically burned to a crisp. Upon investigation by Frank Madison it was found that the wiring had never been connected according to regulations. The Mc Millens hate to think what might have happened had the fire ever got started. There have been far too may near disasterous fires in this area so don't take chances. When you have wiring done be sure it is done by reliable men.

Buenos dias say the Snyders and Donadios, who are sojourning in Mexico. They are having the time of their lives, sober every minute and they finish with adios amigo.

A Toast: May dame fortune smile on you, but never her daughter, Miss Fortune.

Patrol Captain Speaks On Traffic Laws At Brockway Rotary Meet

KINGS BEACH — The regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Brockway was held at Crystal Bay Club on Monday night with President Asa Abbott presiding.

Program chairman, Marion Dodd presented Captain R. B. Langner, commanding the Placer area of the California Highway Patrol, who spoke on the "Enactment of Uniform Speed Laws" and how the strict enforcement of these laws could prevent accidents. The talk alerted members to the many problems which confront the patrol and the club is looking forward to having him return.

Calendar marking for the Brockway members:

March 7: Joint meeting with the Truckee and Tahoe City clubs at the Crystal Bay Club with Brockway acting as host.

March 14: St. Patrick's party—Ladies Night.

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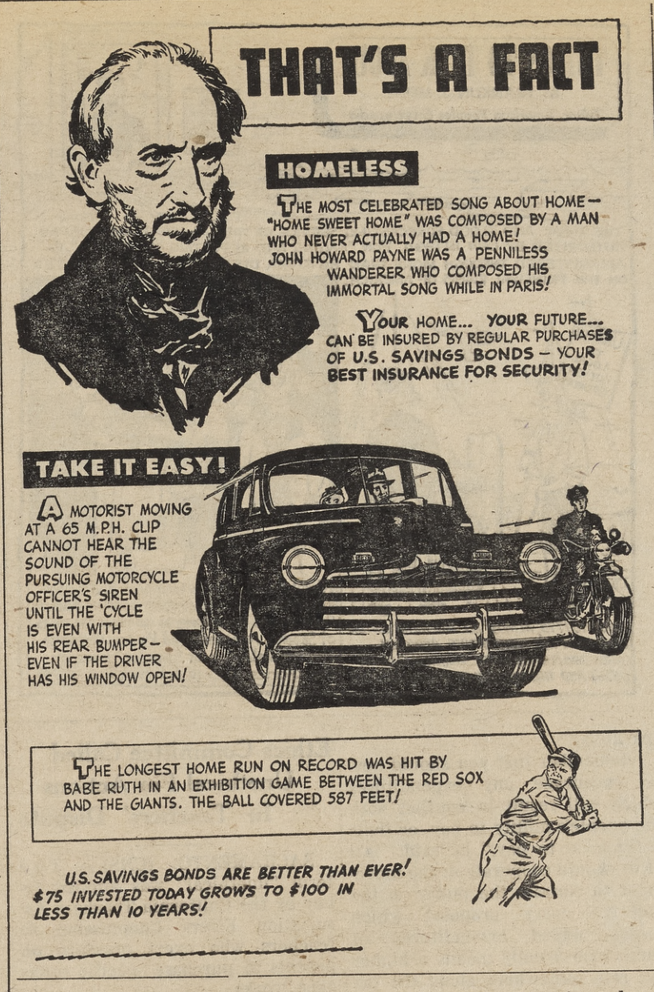
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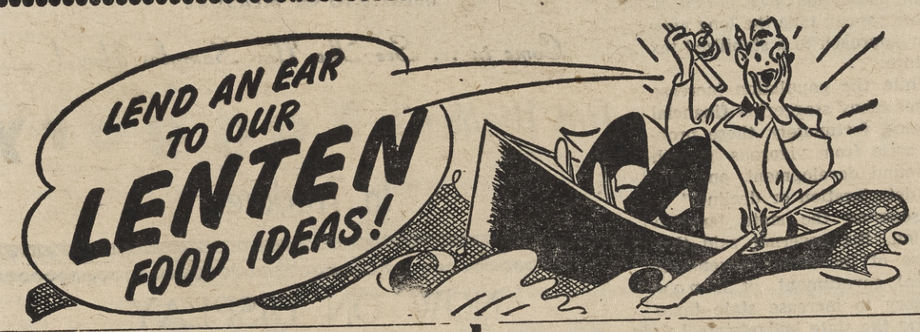

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Pursuant to an order of the Board of Directors of Truckee Public Utility District,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the District Biennial General Election shall be held in said District on the 3rd day of May, 1955, for the purpose of electing two Directors-at-Large;

That candidates may obtain from the Clerk of said District, and circulate nomination papers commencing February 22, 1955; that nomination papers may be filed with the Clerk of said District or or after February 28, 1955, and must be filed with said Clerk not later than March 19, 1955; that the last day for candidates to file affidavits is March 24, 1955.

DATED: February 8th, 1955.

C. EDMUNDS,
Acting Clerk of Truckee Public Utility District.

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Refusal To Give Right Of Way Blamed For Many Vehicle Wrecks

SACRAMENTO — Right of way snatchers cause one of every seven traffic accidents in unincorporated areas.

California highway patrol records indicate that 9605 accidents of the 67,256 investigated by the patrol during 1954 resulted from violation of either pedestrian or motor vehicle right of way.

"Much of our 'right of way' difficulty apparently develops from a negative approach to the problem in actual driving practices," declared Patrol Commissioner B. R. Caldwell.

"According to law 'right of way' is the privilege of the immediate use of the highway. Sections of the code dealing with specific problems of right of way stipulate which vehicle or drive shall yield.

"If motorists would approach intersections, calculate passing attempts, and enter the traffic from parking positions asking: 'Is it safer to wait?' rather than 'Can I get away with this?' the number of accidents caused by right of way violations would drop considerably," Caldwell explained.

"In almost every instance of right of way violation there is thoughtlessness, selfishness, or ignorance of the law. In each of these cases the driver has the power to remedy the situation," he added

GOVERNOR TELLS GOVERNMENT PLAN AT CAPITAL MEET

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—Some of the philosophies of government held by Gov. Goodwin J. Knight were expounded to newly elected supervisors by the governor when they met here recently to study the problems of county management.

The governor said he is a firm believer in home rule, and "I believe that the state government should not interfere with city or county governments unless the cities and the counties ask for state assistances."

He pointed out that cities should not pass problems along to the counties, nor vice versa, and that neither should expect the state to bear their burdens while they are capable of carrying them.

"And it follows," said the governor, "that our state government should not lean on our federal government for those things that it is well able to do itself."

Such a policy, he pointed out, weakens the principle of home rule, which is important to the scheme of government in this state and nation.

"That practice,'" he declared. "encourages Statism and leads to paternalistic over-rule, and inevitably to Socialism."

Further, Governor Knight warned the new supervisors, who hold an annual conference in Sacramento, to "beware of your power of taxation," urging them to "use it sparingly."

"Remember that you should never encourage any expenditures which will result in conflict with the people's ability to pay, or their willingness to pay," he said. "All of us should cooperate in the movement to educate the public to the fact that every proposal which means added expenditures of funds also usually means a higher tax rate somewhere along the tax structure."

Pointing out that the cost of city, county, and state governments are increasng by leaps and bounds, the governor said this is due largely to the fact that the population increases so steadily and in such a phenominal fashion.

"However," he said, "we must keep pace with the growing requirements of the state. But we should also endeavor to restrict our expenditures to essentials until the population has settled itself and we can take the long view in our approach to a stabilized tax structure.

"While the population increase imposes many staggering financial problems, fortunately, these problems arise from vigorous growth and sound development, and not from deterioration or decline."

"Discussing the state taxation situation, the governor said that because of increased subventions to local government, it is now necessary to increase state taxes to bring the state budget into balance. Although he did not refer specifically to the nature of the increased subventions, he has previously referred to the increased average daily attendance allotments to the public schools, which were voted by the people after a strong campaign by the California Teachers Association.

Pointing out that he has had word from some senators and assemblymen that the new taxes are objectionable, the governor declared "we must have these additional monies to furnish the people the services they are demanding."

"I share the feelings," he said, "of our legislators in their reluctance to increase taxes. But I want to call your attention to the fact that if we do not increase taxes now, the day will come when we will be forced to cut down on many services now provided by the state at the insistence of the people. The only alternative would be abrupt increase in the real property tax rate, all of which would be your responsibility.

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia
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Ethics Committee Called Unethical For Actions In Teachers' Dispute

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — The term "unethical" was applied today by the California Teachers Association Ethics Commission to teachers who exert pressure on parents to purchase specific reference works.

At a recent meeting in Sacramento, the commission discussed the subject of book sales by teachers, who use their spare time as salesmen, and stated that some actual cases, teachers exploited their positions to influence purchases.

"We found one encyclopedia company trained its teacher-salesmen to use their positions as a means of gaining entrance into homes before admitting their sales mission," said Miss Miriam Spreng, San Diego teacher and commission chairman.

"At our request, this practice has been corrected by the publishers."

The commission holds that it is the teacher's responsibility to prevent any parent from feeling that purchasing or failing to purchase certain reference works will enhance or damage the childen's relationship with school personnel.

The ethics of teachers augmenting their incomes through book sales, however, was not questioned. ualties involving injury, against a reported total of 79 in 1953.

However, Macklin said that because of a more efficient reporting system in 1954, all accidents however small were listed. He said there is no way of determining whether or not the 1953 report represents the actual total.

Shogtuns were responsible for most of the casualties, or 79 cases; rifles accounted for 43 and handguns five.

14 Killed In Hunting Accidents During Year

Fourteen persons were killed in hunting accidents in 1954, or one less than the previous year, according to a report compiled by Earl Macklin, acting chief of Wildlife Protection Branch of the Department of Fish and Game.

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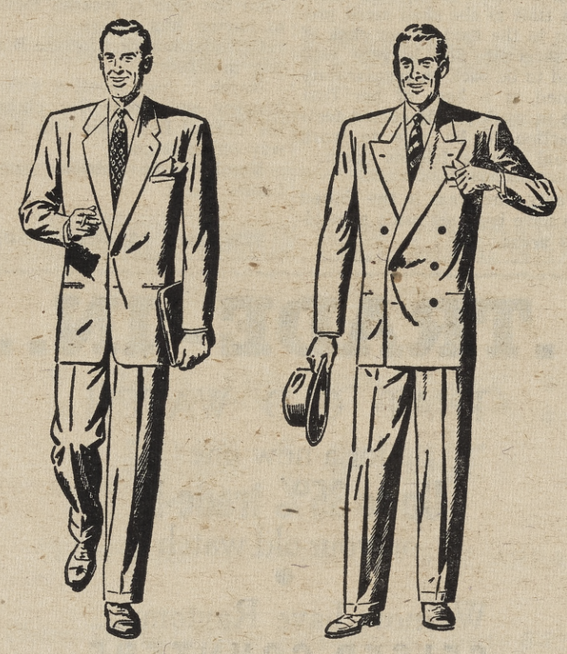

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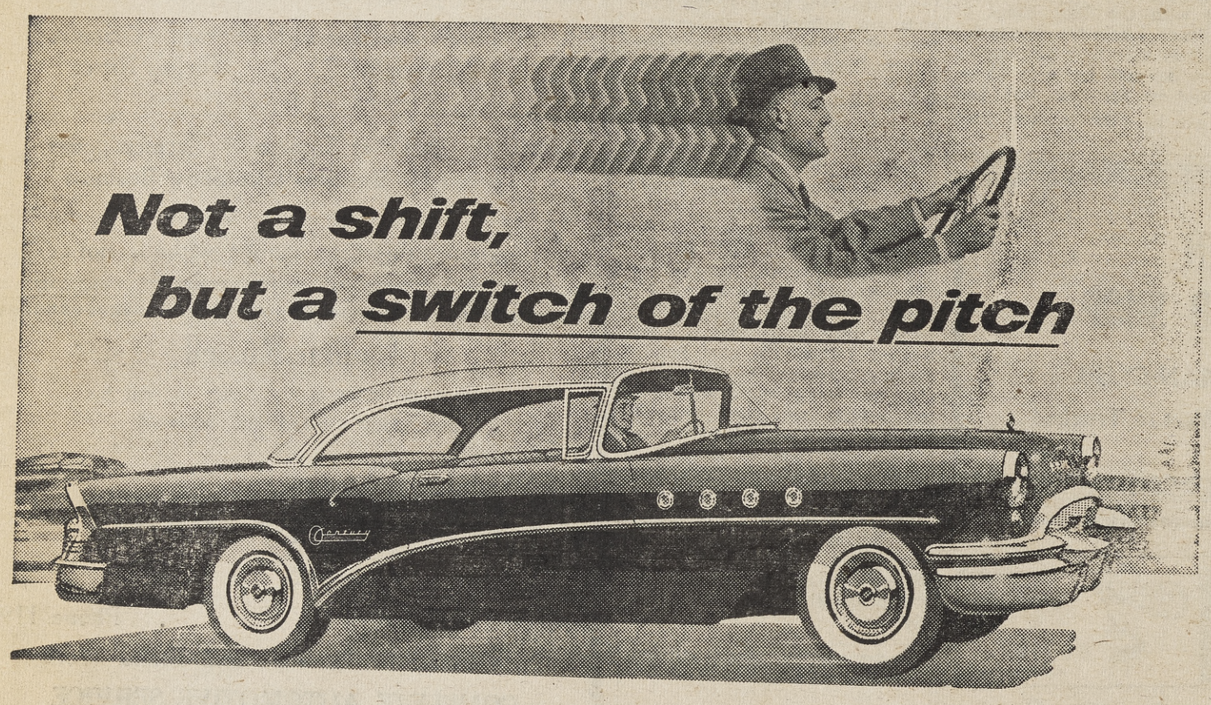

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HUGE SUM GIVEN O.K. FOR COLLEGES

SACRAMENTO — (CNS)— An education subcommittee of the assembly ways and means committee has approved budgets for eight California state colleges totaling $16,975,192.

The group headed by Lloyd Lowrey of Yolo County, held up action on the budget for San Jose State College in order to give consideration to a request for additional funds over and above the mount originally submitted in the governor's budget.

T. H. Mugford, chief budget officer for the state department of finance, asked that $281,022 be tacked on to the San Jose State's $3,898,486 budget. He said the additional money would allow enrollment of 8250 students at the college, instead of the 7,400 originally budgeted for.

Dr. J. Burton Vasche, chief of the division of state colleges in the state department of education, told the subcommittee the total budget for state colleges was based upon an expected eight per cent increase in enrollments next fall.

The division asked for $25,686,010 for all state colleges, a 14.6 per cent increase over the current year.

The first Cliff House at San Francisco was erected in 1858.

Business Shows Minor Decline During Year

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) —Business activity in California was indexed at 166 during 1954, compared with 169 for the preceding year, the state superintendent of banks reported.

Business activity during December was on the rise as compared with a year earlier. December activity was indexed at 174, compared with 168 in 1953.

Bank debits for last year were rated at 155, an increase of four points over the year before.

X-RAY UNIT FOR TAHOE AREA IS SET UP AT AUBURN

TAHOE CITY — Tahoe City's Ground Observer Corps chief, Mrs. Marie Henry, attended the monthly health board of directors meeting at Auburn Monday evening.

She reports that the mobile chest x-ray unit will operate in Auburn on Monday and Thursday of each week from now on indefinitely and will be open to the public between 10 a.m. and 1 p. m. on those days. Anyone wishing a free chest x-ray may call on those days at the Health Department building, 360 Elm St., in Auburn. She said that early this summer the mobile unit will again serve Tahoe City and Kings Beach. This service, Mrs. Henry said, has been made possible through the purchase of Christmas seals.

At 5:45 in the morning of Washington's Birthday, Mrs. Henry, in the course of her constant air patrol watch, saw the flash from the widely publicized atomic bomb which was touched off in southern Nevada at that time. She said it made a great double flare over the south-eastern mountains beyond the lake and about 25 minuets later the percussion from the blast was noticed along the shoreline.

On the same morning, Mrs. Henry noted a bright object about the size of a golf ball hanging high in the eastern sky and watched it while it seemed to hang stationery for more than an hour. It was orange in color and seemed too large for a star. She said it was similar to an object she watched there for three hours almost a month ago.

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Three Juveniles Held On Charges Of Home Looting Near Tahoe

Bulletin

Deputy Constable Johanson today reported three boys, ranging from 16 to 19 years, are being held as suspects in the recent vandalism cases near here. All are said to have confessed. The only loot found on the boys, the officer said, was an assortment of more than 40 various types of knives.

TAHOE CITY— William Scott, sheriff of Placer County, was here with Probation Officer James Nelson Tuesday investigating several complaints of vandalism and questioning suspects.

Deputy Constable Harry Johanson said the summer homes at Pineland three miles south of Tahoe City were broken into during the past few days and considerable damage done to the interiors as well as doors and windows.

The last act of vandalism was at the golf course club house at Tahoe. Carl Bechdolt, Jr., owner of the property, said he cannot tell what has been taken until he takes inventory, but considerable damage was done.

Johanson said the condition of the 11 places broken into looked like the culprits were bent on destruction rather than theft and he thought that he and Sheriff Scott will get a confession from at least one of the three juveniles under suspicion.

GOVERNOR FAVORS MONEY FOR PARKS

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) —Governor Goodwin J. Knight has reversed his position on expenditure of tideland oil royalty funds which recently reverted to the state after impoundment by the federal government.

The governor, who months ago said he believed some of the impounded funds could be used for purposes other than beaches and parks, declared recently that he felt a full 70 per cent, as required by law, should go into the beaches and parks five year program of development.

However, it may be necessary in the future, the governor said, to review the distribution of the oil revenues, especially in the event they grow so large that more money than is necessary would revert to the beaches and parks program.

The governor's announcement followed a lengthy conference with the state park commission, which is chairmaned by Joseph R. Knowland, Oakland publisher.

Knight also indicated he would look with favor on some types of offshore oil drilling.

The average depth of the Indian Ocean is 13,002 feet.

SUGAR BOWL PAIR LEAVE FOR RACES IN EASTERN AREA

SUGAR BOWL —Babette Haueisen and John Robinson left this week for their extensive race circuit.

They will be competing in the Roch Club in Aspen this weekend. From there they go east where they will be racing at Franconia, New Hampshire on March 5 and 6. They part company then with Robinson going to the Olympic giant slalom tryout for men at Franconia on March 11, while Miss Haueisen competes in the women's Olympic tryouts at North Conway on the same date.

Other races on their schedule are at the National downhill and slalom on March 12 and 13, giant slalom, downhill and slalom at Stowe, Vermont, March 18, 19 and 20. Then to the Harriman Cup at Sun Valley on the 26th. The last race on their schedule is at Stevens Pass, Washington, on April 3.

Back to home base then for the North American Championships and the Silver Belt at Sugar Bowl.

Birthday Party Held For Tahoe Residents

TAHOE CITY — One of two Tahoe City citizens whose birthdate falls on the past weekend was Ruth Hatch who celebrated the occasion with a luncheon at Tahoe Inn.

A specially decorated cake, inscribed with "Happy Birthday, Ruth", was presented to the honoree by C. (Shorty) Herman of the Inn. Those who were present to partake of the cake included Irma Harvath, Florence Vernon, Lois Painter, Eldon Traviola, Gaston Van and Forest Veoyles. The latter is leaving Wednesday for Brawley where he will take over the management of the Royal Hotel

In the evening Ruth Hatch was honor guest at a Washington's Birthday dinner at the C. W. Vernon home.

Mrs. Beccy Shontz was the second who celebrated her birthday on the natal day of the country's first president. A special cake was baked and decorated for the occasion by Tahoe City's excellent baker, Leonard Bury. Mrs. Shontz spent the day rather quietly, having been ill for several days but now recuperating nicely.

Counties Would Share In Fund Under Measure

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—A move to strip the state division of beaches and parks of use of approximately $60,000,000 in accumulated tideland oil revenue was before the state senate today.

FRED ALLEN HOLT, YUBA GIRL TO WED

TAHOE CITY — The approaching marriage of Mildred (Mickey) Hurdle of Yuba City to Fred Allen Holt of Tahoe City, was announced recently at a party given for the bride-elect in her home city.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hurdle of Yuba City and the prospective bride groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Holt of Tahoe, who have resided here for many years. Fred's many friends here offer congratulations to him and his bride-to-be

The pair plan to be married in the near future in Reno at a quiet wedding with only members of the immediate families and a few close friends present. A reception is planned following the wedding either at the Tahoe home of the prospective groom or at the home of Miss Hurdle at Yuba City.

Both young people are presently employed at Marysville and plan to make their home in that city.

Senator Randolph Collier, Yreka, presented a bill which would allocate that much money to the counties of the state, and propose that the counties go ahead with their own beaches and parks program. Eighteen other senators joined with Collier on the bill.

Under the allocation proposed Nevada County would receive a total of $239,572.

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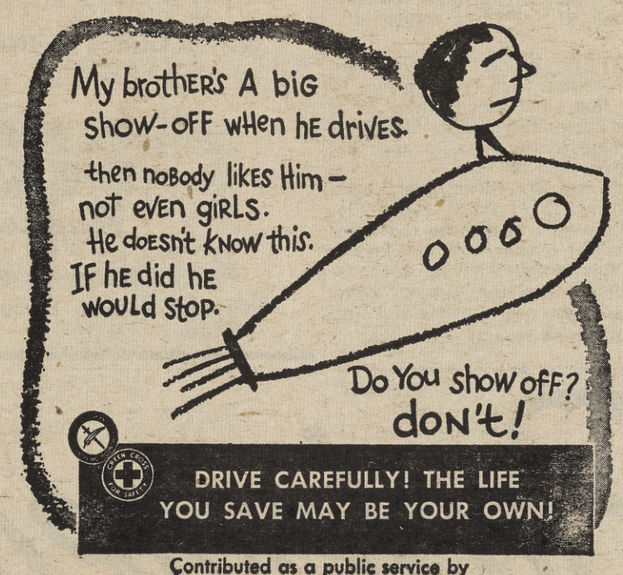
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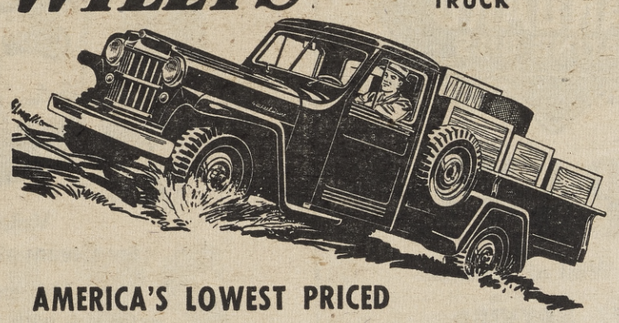

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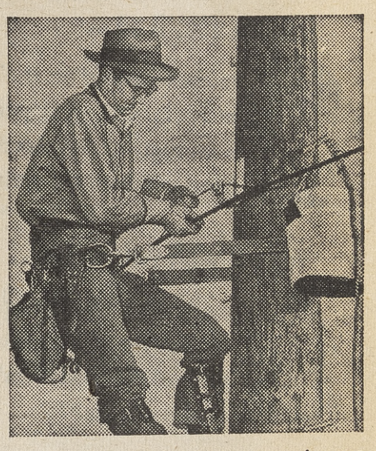

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NEWS NOTES FROM TAHOE

By Ethel Joslin Vernon
Box 636, Tahoe City.
Telephone Tahoe 62

The Washington Birthday weekend dawned over the Tahoe region with the sun blazing from a clear sky on Saturday morning and the temperatures rising to spring-like proportions. The rest of the weekend remained clear and comfortable except for a little east wind in the late afternoons. Weather Observer Arthur Frodenberg tells us that our latest storm, when it rained a week ago Wednesday, brought exactly .50 of an inch of precipitation and that we are far below normal in precipitation for the season.

At 10:12 on Friday morning two light earthquakes jolted this locality, about three seconds apart and at 10:40 came another shake, a little harder and with more trembling. In our second story apartments, the quakes rattled things a little, but nothing was broken.

The Inn and all other Tahoe City accommodations were booked to capacity for the holiday week ahead and roads and highways being clear of snow, brought hundreds of motorists into the ski sports areas. The Granlibakken ski slopes were alive with visitors.

Lewis Fellows, Tahoe's most popular young ski ace, left on Friday on an extended tour which will occupy him through the month of March and most of April. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fellows, and his sister, Sandra, are reported accompanying him, and the schedule of his remaining sports activities for the winter will take him over hundreds of miles into the various eastern and western ski areas. He plans to be in Franconia, N. H., on March 11th to compete in the special Olympics giant slalom tryouts. In this area on March 12 and 13, he will participate in the national down-hill, slalom and combined. From there his schedule takes him on to Stowe Vermont, where he is to enter the American International giant Slalom and down-hill tournament to be held there on March 18, 19 and 20. He is scheduled to be back in the west again on March 26 and 27 and will race in the Harriman Invitational events to be staged on those dates on the slopes at Sun Valley, Idaho.

In Sun Valley on April 2 and 3, young Fellows will take part in the American Legion's Junior Championships and on April 16 and 17, will find him in the Norden area where he will ski in the down-hill, slalom and combined championships being held there on those dates. He plans to close his late winter program by entering the Silver Belt Trophy slalom competition, a championship event to be held at the SugarBowl on April 24.

Up in Squaw Valley on the past two Thursdays, the Squaw Valley Follies events have been staged with considerable success in raising funds for the ski club's planned Olympics events. At these entertainments tickets are sold to raise money and prizes are awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jenkins, who have operated Tahoe City's Variety store for the past four years, and who have many friends in this locality, have recently decided to give up the lease on their business property. This week they are selling out their total stock. The couple recently bought a home at Sacramento where Jenkins now has steady employment as an electrician, and they plan to reside permnently in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pierson, one-time residents here, have returned to Tahoe City after some five years absence. Last week they purchased the Tahoe City home of Don Bowman, a former Tahoe resident who now resides in Las Vegas, Nevada. The Piersons plan to settle here permanently. When Harry Pierson first came here in 1947, he sponsored and organized Tahoe City's American Legion Post No. 718. He was the first commander here and did much to help this post prosper and grow.

Mrs. Pat Henry Fox motored up early last week from her present home in San Mateo for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Henry. Her small daughter, Mary Tabor, who has been visiting here with her grandparents for several days, left with her mother on Friday for their home.

The Tahoe Lake held a PTA Founders Day program last Thursday afternoon in the school auditorium which, all in all, proved a very interesting and educational affair. A capacity gathering of parents, teachers and friends was on hand as the color-guard, consisting of a group of Girl Scouts in uniform, marched up the aisle carrying the flag and repeated the pledge of allegiance. The opening number on the program was a puppet show presented by three of the fourth grade boys from the class of Mrs. Lillian Farr. "Pre-Historic Animals" was the title of this show and the young actors who fashioned their own puppets from paper were Steve Harvath, Danny Conners and Mike Marvin. A second skit of this variety was put on by three of Mrs. Farr's girl students, second, third and fourth graders. They were Patty Cook, Carolee Campbell and Gloria Drum. The title of the act was "The Pig's Christmas", and the girls managed their puppets by inserting their fingers into the hollow heads of China dolls and animals. A third number was put on by Mrs. Farr's classes and was a chorus by eight of the students in costume representing Mississippi river people. They sang Mr. and Mississippi, and later marched out to the music of The Mountain Song, an old Swiss melody.

Mid way of the program the principal, Mrs. Ruth Roberson, presented a questions and answer number pertaining to the history of the PTA. In the process of this number, valuable information regarding the organization was revealed. For instance, it was founded in 1897 and at this time there are 38,500 PTA units, consisting of 8,000,000 members. The questions asked by Mrs. Roberson were properly answered by four of the room mothers, Mrs. Edna Obexer, Mrs. June Grinstead, Mrs. Beccy Shontz and Mrs. McLane.

The closing number on the program was a motion picture entitled "Alergene", shown by Charlotte Patnoude, the public health nurse. The film portrayed information on various allergies, and explained how to combat them.

Two local elections are scheduled to be held here early in the spring. The first, on April 4, is the annual election for one commissioner for the Tahoe City Fire Protection District. The second will be the biennial general election for one director of the Tahoe City Public Utility District, called for May 3.

C. W. Vernon, clerk of the board of fire commissioners, said that no candidate has filed for the office of commissioner, and that the present commissioners, as in the past several years, will have to ask the board of supervisors to appoint a commissioner. February 23 was the last date to file. Vernon who is manager of the Public Utilities District, said that any candidate for the office of a director in the utility, has until March to file nomination papers and until March 24 for filing affidavits.

William Paquet of Meeks Bay has written from Palm Springs to say that he is leaving there for a trip across the country before returning to the Lake to open his barber shop in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Greene have returned to Al Tahoe, Frank Globin's resort, to manage the property. The Greenes are well known in this vicinity, having been associated with the Tahoe Tavern when it was owned by Mr. and Mrs. Matt Green several years ago.

ITALIAN-AMERICAN GROUP GATHER FOR TAHOE PARTY

TAHOE CITY — Visitors to Tahoe over the weekend in specially chartered buses from San Francisco was a group of 70 members of the Italian - American Social Council. In charge of the convention was Val Marconi of that city.

The group stopped at Squaw Valley on the way up where many of them had a chilly ride in the sky chairs, as the east wind was blowing at the time. However, they enjoyed the snowy valley, several of them saying it was more pleasant than the damp coast winds.

The group filled Tahoe Inn to overflowing at the luncheon hour, where an orchestra of their own members played. After lunch, the crowd enjoyed a jolly party at the Inn and put on an impromptu program among themselves.

They planned to have their Sunday night dinner in Reno and to spend the night there and then enjoy the Mt. Rose ski sports on Monday. They were to have left for San Francisco Tuesday.

GEORGE BOYLE, SR. DIES AT LOS ALTOS

TAHOE CITY — Many friends of the George Boyle family of this city were saddened to hear of the passing of Mr. Boyle's father, George G. Boyle, Sr., in his home at Los Altos. George, Jr., was notified by telephone early Saturday morning of his father's critical condition and motored down immediately, reaching the bedside in the afternoon, barely before the elder Boyles passing.

The deceased has suffered ill health since a serious lung operation many years ago.

Immediate members of the surviving family are his wife, Helen, of Los Altos and his son, George of Tahoe City and three small grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Los Altos on Wednesday.

Lindsay's Bill Would Establish Water District

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—Assemblyman Francis C. Lindsay, Placer County, has introduced a bill establishing the Sierra Water Conservation District.

The district would be made up of El Dorado, Nevada, Amador, Placer and Sacramento counties. It would have the power to develop water for irrigation and flood control, and produce power.

Lindsay said he put the bill in skeleton form and will amend it into final form later. The bill provides for the development of the American river.

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A suit for $100,000 damages has been filed in superior court by Jack W. Ellis against Robert G. Arney and several John Does following an auto mishap said to have taken place on October 4, 1954.

Ellis states that on that date Arney invited him to take a ride in a 1951 Cadillac and that at approximately 10:30 that night, near Kingvale on Highway 40, Arney drove "carelessly and wantonly" from one side of the road to the other for some 200 feet, then purposely turned off the headlights for another 100 feet, after which the auto left the highway and crashed against some roadside boulders.

He petitioned the court for $100,000 general damages, $250 for loss of time from employment, medical services and costs.

Ellis is represented in court by Attorney Francis W. Robichaud of Truckee.

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia
IN NORTH DAKOTA, EVAPORATION IS 15 TIMES AS RAPID IN JULY AS IN JANUARY.* IN FLORIDA THE RATE OF EVAPORATION IS ONLY TWICE THAT IN JANUARY.*
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Bill Would Require County Reimbursement For Loss By State Parks

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — A bill which would require the state division of beaches and parks to reimburse counties for loss of taxes on park property was given strong support by Del Norte County officials at a special meeting of the senate committee on public lands.

Mrs. Arlene Spann, county assessor, pleaded for enactment of the measure as a means of preventing Del Norte County from becoming "a ghost county within ten years." She was joined by County Supervisor Guy Hedrick, Crescent City.

The officials also supported a bill prohibiting state acquisition of beaches and parks without consent of affected counties.

Both bills will be presented to the legislature by Senator Edwin J. Regan, Trinity County, chairman of the committee.

Mrs. Spann testified that removal of nearly 15,000 acres of state park lands from her county's tax rolls has jeopardized financing of schools and local government there. She pointed out that the federal government owns 64 per cent of the county's land, leaving the county limited property tax resources.

The assessor also asked for easing of the regulation against logging on the open market to operate for two or three years." She asserted only about three of the county's 40 lumber mills will survive the next five years if the condition continues.

Mrs. Spann contended that much timber could be removed from remote areas of the parks without marring their beauty.

She charged that obtaining rights of way through park property to get at private timber resources was "extremely difficult" despite past legislation requiring the division to negotiate such rights of way.

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Courtesy Stressed As Life Saver For Drivers

SACRAMENTO — "Courteous driving will save lives."

With this reminder the California Highway Patrol today offered endorsement of the nationwide program urging every driver to: "Make Courtesy Your Code of the Road." The national seven point code program is operating under joint sponsorship of the National Safety Council and the Inter-Industry Highway Safety committee.

"The difference between motoring discourtesy and an outright violation is very slight and either act can cause a fatal crash," commented Commissioner B. R. Caldwell when explaining the reasons for adopting the courtesy program.

The seven points of emphasis are:

(1) Share the road by driving in the proper lane.

(2) Allow ample clearance when passing.

(3) Yield the right of way to other drivers and to pedestrians.

(4) Give proper signals for turns and stops.

(5)Dim headlights when meeting or following vehicles.

(6) Respect traffic laws, signs, signals and road markings.

(7) Adjust driving to road, traffic and weather conditions.

"Failure to observe these seven rules of driving conduct caused more than 80 per cent of all traffic accidents in unincorporated areas of California last year," Caldwell pointed out, adding, "using good motor manners will greatly reduce this problem."

The site of the discovery of San Francisco Bay, Sweeney Ridge about four miles west of Millbrae in San Mateo County, November 4, 1769, bears a historical marker.

Lieutenant Breaks Leg, Gets Airplane Assistance

Lt. (jg) Margaret A. Whitney, 25-year-old ward nurse, returned to her post at Oakland Naval Hospital on time last week but it was on a stretcher.

She fractured her right lower leg while skiing on Donner Summit during a week's vacation.

Navy executives at Alameda Naval Air Station dispatched Lt. Ted Jones, pilot, W. H. Wheeler, dispensary corpsman, and a crew in a twin engine transport plane to carry her from the Truckee Hospital back to her home base.

Gain Recorded In Sale Of Hunt, Fish Licenses

Sale of hunting and fishing licenses and tags as of December 31 showed substantial increases over the same period of 1953, according to reports compiled by the Department of Fish and Game.

Following are licenses sold and reported as of the end of the year:

Hunting: 520,790, compared to 510,978 in 1953 or a gain of 2.1 per cent.

Fishing: 1,196,389, compared to 1,146,726 in 1953, or a gain of 4.3 per cent.

Deer tags: 389,185, compared to 365,344 ni 1953 or a gain of 7.9 per cent.

Pheasant tags: 179,275 compared to 157,655 the previous year, or a gain of 13.9 per cent.

The department reported that many licenses and tags still are in the hands of license agents and are not yet reported in the total. It is expected that the final figure on angling licenses will run well over the 1,200,000 mark, and that the hunting license figure will rise considerably.

Zenith 1-200 Will Be CHP Emergency Phone Number In All Areas

SACRAMENTO—The California Highway Patrol emergency telephone number "Zenith 1-2000" will be in use practically statewide by February 1, according to an announcement released today by the patrol.

"This special service is designed exclusively for reporting traffic emergencies outside cities to the highway patrol," declared Patrol Commissioner B. R. Caldwell. "There is no charge for the service even when the patrol office called is in a toll zone.

"In order to keep the Zenith 1-2000 line open for real traffic emergencies, routine matters should continue to be reported in the usual manner using the regular telephone number assigned to the patrol office in the area," Caldwell continued. This will enable the patrol to handle emergencies more expeditiously.

"Motorists are urged to carry the emergency number on their persons or in their cars for ready reference. Additional information concerning this program may be secured from any highway patrol office," the commissioner added.

"California is the first state to offer a statewide emergency service covering traffic emergencies."

HELD HERE

Lane Farrar, 25, was being held here for the Orange County sheriff's office on a charge of failure to provide, Deputy Sheriff Roy Waters reports.

The first "all the way by air" airmail service between New York and San Francisco commenced July 1, 1924; previously mail was carried by plane during the day and transferred to trains for night transport.

CERTIFICATE OF FICTITIOUS NAME

Know all men by these presents:

That I, HAROLD M. WELCH, the undersigned, an individual, do hereby certify that I am transacting business at Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, under the name and style of "St. Louis Cafe," a designation not showing my name as the person interested in or operating such business.

Dated: February 7th, 1955.

HAROLD M. WELCH
Truckee, Calif.
Residence.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF NEVADA)

On the 7th day of February, 1955, before me personnaly appeared Harold M. Welch, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

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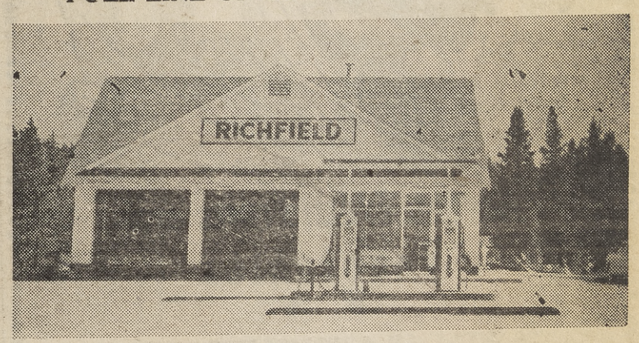

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Community Methodist CHURCH NOTES

Wednesday of this week opened the Lenten season. Forty days from that date (Sundays excluded) Easter is upon us. It is usually a period of penitence, discipline and general preparation for the coming of Holy Week and Easter. Rev. W. Osman opens the Lenten season with a sermon on "Dedication to Jesus The Peacemaker."

The MYF closes its series on Brotherhood with the topic of "A Christian is a Brotherhood Builder." The meeting opens at 6:30 P. M.

For the next week, Rev. Osman will be doing some traveling on behalf of the conference. Friday he goes to Redding as a representative of the Youth Work of the annual conference. He will speak there urging high school youths to take advantage of the many opportunties in christian service in the summer.

Next Monday, February 28, Rev. Osman will leave for San Francisco to attend the School of Evangelism to be held at the Glide Memorial Methodist Church, March 1, 2 and 3.

Glide School:
Dr. Sockman Speaks

The annual Glide School of Evangelism, Mar. 1-3 at Glide Memorial church, San Francisco, will feature Rev. Ralph Sockman of Christ Church, New York, and Rev Russell L. Dicks of Duke University Divinity school. The meetings are open to all.

Veterans Warned On Exemption Claims

Veterans who plan to claim their $1000 property tax exemption this year must make sure that their interest in the property is of record on or before noon of the first Monday in March, with the recorder in the county where the property is located.

Calling attention to this fact. John T. Trauner, county service officer for Nevada County, stressed also that the exemption applies only to property valued at less than $5000. Husbands and wives however, can apply the community property rule to their holdings

The first Monday in March this year falls on the 7th. That day opens the annual filing period for the $1000 veterans' constitutional tax exemption in California which lasts until 5 P. M. on the last Monday in May.

Korean veterans and servicemen are among those eligible to file for the annual exemption, provided their service began on or before January 31—the termination date for eligibility recently proclaimed by Governor Knight.

Any further information may be obtained from the Veterans Service Officer at Grass Valley.

Your Chamber Of Commerce

From the President's Desk

HAVE YOU SEEN THE DIFFERENCE IN THE APPEARANCE OF OUR MAIN STREET SINCE OUR STREET CLEANING DETAIL WENT TO WORK ON IT? ALL OF OUR DOWNTOWN MERCHANTS JOIN ME IN SAYING THANKS, to Roy Waters (chairman of the detail) and Paul Rausch for their cooperation. Keep up the good work, fellows.

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Your Chamber wishes to extend a hearty welcome to our new Pacific Tel & Tel manager, Charles Berlenbach. Good luck, Chuck.

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An important function of the Chamber, which many members are not aware of, is answering the large volume of out-of-town correspondence received by the office each year. Since this area has been chosen as a potential sight for the 1960 Olympic winter games this volume of mail has almost doubled. These inquiries cover a wide variety of subjects, information on historical sites and events, snow depths, housing, business opportunities and many others. But most important of all, your secretary answers each and every one of these.

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Senator Johnson has introduced a bill in our legislature, calling for an appropriation of $125.00 for a museum at Donner Memorial State Park. Your Chamber earnestly supports this measure, as we all know our area is rich in historical background, and a museum to house the many momentos and items of historical interest would greatly enhance this region.

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I wish to personally thank those of you who have come forward with your ideas and progressive thinking on ways to improve and better our community. They are of invaluable aid to me—keep them coming.

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Don't forget Carnival Night, Mar. 5th at the Veterans' Memorial Hall. It promises to be fun for all. An added attraction that evening will be screen star, Marsha Hunt.

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So until next week

—Hal Welch.

Travel Increase For Year Noted From Annual Reports

There were 2087 more cars checked through the Truckee quarantine station during 1954 than for 1953, according to the annual report from the California Department of Agriculture.

At the same time, the report shows, the number of trucks inspected dropped 382.

The report indicates 445,880 cars and 35,543 trucks were inspected at the Truckee station in 1954, while during 1953 442,793 cars and 35,925 trucks were inspected.

Bus travel also showed a minor decline during last year there being 7299 inspected as compared to 7825 the previous 12 months.

Only one border station exceeded Truckee in the volume of travel last year, according to the report. That was Yermo where 618,747 cars were checked compared to Truckee's 445,880.

At Meyers on Highway 50, a total of 128,167 cars, 3876 trucks and 307 buses were checked last year, compared to 117,900 cars, 3213 trucks and 241 buses the year before.

Over the state as a whole, cars travel was up slightly over 1953, there being 3,492,068 cars, 297,714 trucks and 45,460 buses checked during last year as compared to 3,436,908 cars, 274,939 trucks and 46,474 buses during 1953.

The total passenger count at Truckee last year was 1,525,727 compared to 1,472,553 in 1953.

Returns to Coast—
Mrs. Cora Walker who formerly lived at Lake Tahoe with her late husband, has returned from Virginia to Santa Cruz. She plans to keep in touch with friends through the Sierra Sun.

Visits Farmhouse—
The D. M. Del Carlos family of Oakland have been visiting their Swedish Farmhouse property at Tahoe City this week.

In Hospital—
Mrs. Alvah Hooper was a Tahoe Forest Hospital patient last week.

Interesting Visitor—
An interesting visitor this week at Sugar Bowl Lodge was Heinrich Harrar, author of My 7 Years in Tibet, who enjoyed an early morning climb up Mt. Lincoln during his stay.

To Roseville—
Mrs. Lois Tackett and her mother, Mrs. Mary Sheldon, are leaving this week to make their home in Roseville. Mrs. Tackett has been transferred by the Southern Pacific Company.

Reid Remodels—
Rex Reid has finished remodeling the interior of the apartment here owned by Mrs. Tillie Smith.

TAHOE SKIER WINS BIG BEAR AWARDS

Sheldon Varney, Lake Tahoe, walked away with two trophies Sunday at Big Bear Lake winning the Peer Gynt Nordic Ski Tournament by taking the jumping and cross country events,

He took the jump competition with leaps of 94 and 93 feet and won both the Helms Athletic Foundation trophy and a special outstanding performance trophy se to the sponsoring Peer Gynt Clu of Los Angeles from Oslo, Norway newspaper (Dagbladet).

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BULLETS SCREAMED, RICOCHETED ALL ABOUT THE TIMBERLY DIAMOND MINE THIEVES, AS THEY LEAPED INTO A HIDDEN GETAWAY CAR!

THEY DROVE AS FAR AS THE TERRAIN WOULD PERMIT, THEN VANISHED ON FOOT, INTO THE PROTECTIVE BLACKNESS OF THE FOREST...

...TIME PASSED. THE APE-MAN HAD FASHIONED NEW WEAPONS AND LEISURELY HUNTED THE VAST EXPANSE OF HIS BELOVED JUNGLE.

WHILE PARTAKING OF HIS FOOD HE HEARD DISTANT CRIES OF DISTRESS.

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CURIOUS, TARZAN FOLLOWED THE SOUND AND ARRIVED UPON A GRUESOME SCENE--HERE WAS A PITIFUL GROUP OF NATIVES, WOUNDED BY SOME BRUTAL ASSAULT!

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I LUGGED THIS HUNK O' METAL ALL THE WAY FROM THE U.S. T' HELP SOLVE YER LAUNDRY PROBLEM AND NOW I FINDS MYSELF SURROUNDED BY A TRIBE...

...WHO AIN'T GOT NO PROBLEMS THAT A NEW CROP O' HAY WON'T SOLVE!!

WE HAVE BUT ONE PROBLEM, AND IT (SIGH) IS A WEIGHTY ONE INDEED!!

OUR NATIONAL DRINK IS HAZER-EYE! IT IS COMPOUNDED FROM MANY FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND SUCH. WHEN DRUNK (UGH) UNMIXED IT TASTES HORRIBLE!!

BUT WHEN IT IS PROPERLY MIXED, IT IS FIT FOR A KING—NAMELY ME! AND TO PROPERLY MIX IT, ODDLY ENOUGH, TAKES TWENTY-SEVEN HOURS!!

NO KICK UNLESS IT'S STIRRED PLENTY, HUH, KING. TOO BAD—HEY! I GOT A STRANGLE HOLD ON A TERRIFIC IDEA!

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LATER

MARVEL OF MARVELS, THAT YOUR COMPANY SHOULD DEVELOP A (CHUCKLE) HAZER-EYE MIXER!!

SUDSY WUDSY HAS GOT AN EYE PEELED T' THE NEEDS O' EVERYBODY, PAL!! DIP ME ANOTHER CUP, GORGEOUS!

BACK AT THE SUDSY WUDSY FACTORY—

ANOTHER BATCH OF ORDERS FOR THE SUDSY WUDSY WASHING MACHINES FROM OUR SOUTH PACIFIC MAN!! WHAT A SUPER SALESMAN THAT GROGGINS IS!!

AND WHO WOULD HAVE GUESSED IT TO LOOK AT HIM!!

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R. VAN BUREN

YOU'VE BEEN COMPLAINING FOR OVER A MONTH, RUDY-- WHY DON'T YOU GO TO THE

I'M NOT HUNGRY, FANNY -- I HAD ANOTHER BAD

The

by BOB

Captain

Fritzi Ritz

By ERNIE BUSHMILLER®

I SHOULD HAVE LEFT AUNT MARTHA'S BEFORE THIS SNOW STORM STARTED

THIS SNOW IS AWFUL-- I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHETHER I'M ON THE ROAD

WHAT A FIX--I CAN'T EVEN FIND THE ROAD AND THE CAR HAS CONKED OUT

I'LL HAVE TO HIKE TO THE MAIN HIGHWAY AND GET A BUS HOME

THERE WAS A BIG THAW LAST NIGHT-- THE MERCURY WENT UP TWENTY DEGREES--

GOODY--NOW I'LL BE ABLE TO GO GET MY CAR STARTED

I'LL BE THERE SOON

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THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS

FORECAST: CLEAR AND GUSTY

BE CAREFUL FISHING, DOLLINKS, GIFFS VINDY VEDDER, SO SAYS DER PAPER!

YOU ISS TELLING US!

LOOK, MAMA ROLLER SKATES MIT NO HANDS! WHEE!

BY R. DIRKS

EEE! HAT BLOW 'WAY! CATCH UM QUICK!

SURE, VE FISH IT OUDT, MISTER PEE-WEE!

BIG WIND TOPSIDE-HIM GO PHOOM!

VAIT, VE FIX YOU UP IN A CHIFFY!

GOOD FISHING!

HO-HO! LI'L BOYS MUCH SMART! TIE UM GOOD-NOT LOSE FINE LID, YOU BETCHA!

DON'T MENTION IT!

DER PLEASURE ISS ON DER HOUSE!

OO! WIND BLOW HAT SOME MORE! STOP UM QUICK-- HALP!

VOT-AGAIN?

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DIS TIME ME, TOO!

BETTER YOU BUY A HAT MORE YOUR SIZE, MISTER PEE-WEE!

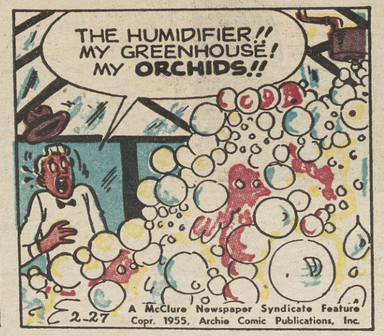
JUST BOUGHT UM HAT!

-BUY UM ANCHOR!

Archie

by BOB MONTANA

I BOUGHT IT IN GALLONS FROM A CHEMIST! THAT WAY WE MAKE A BIG PROFIT SELLING IT REBOTTLED!
WATER SOFTENER?! YOU SURE YOU HAVEN'T USED SOME ON YOUR HEAD?



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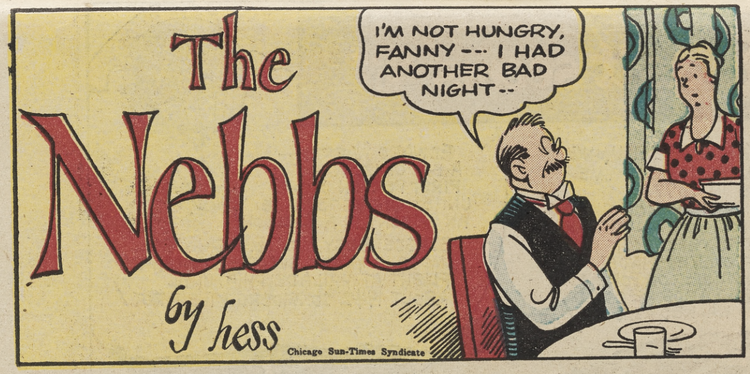

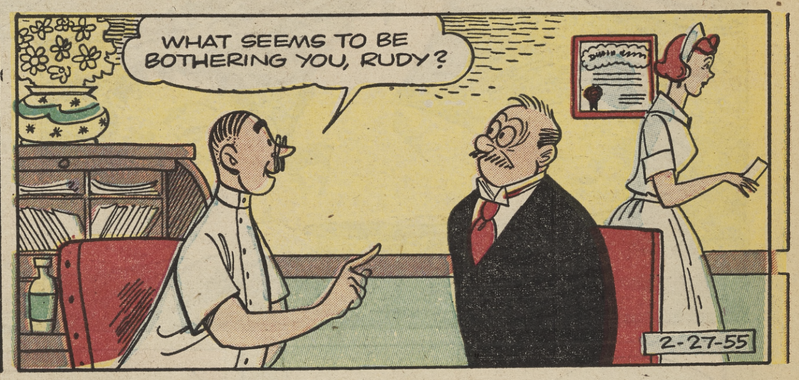

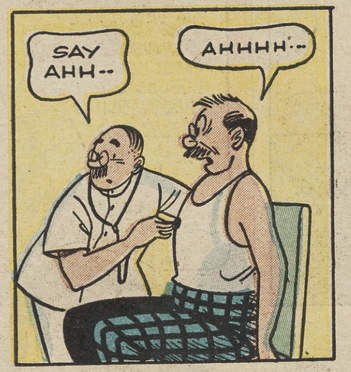

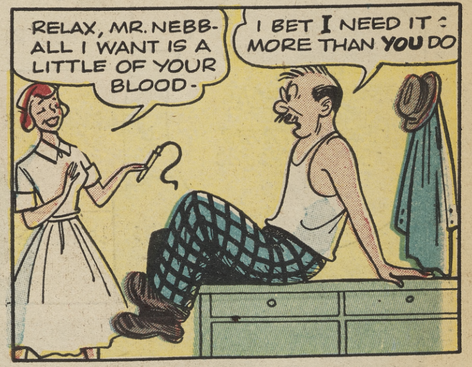

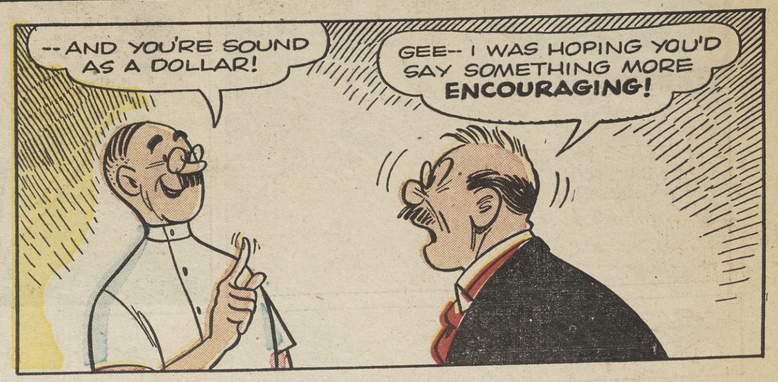

STRANGE as it seems — ELSIE by HIX

FRED CAVILL LACKED ONLY 25 YARDS OF SWIMMING THE ENGLISH CHANNEL IN THE UNBELIEVABLE TIME OF 12 HOURS, 15 MINUTES IN 1877... BECAUSE THE SAILORS REFUSED TO CONTINUE TO ROW THE BOAT ACCOMPANYING HIM, DUE TO THE LATE HOUR, CAVILL WAS TAKEN FROM THE WATER... AT DAYBREAK IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT HAD HE CONTINUED ON FOR ABOUT 25 YARDS HE COULD WALKED ASHORE!

EDWARD WARREN-- A BOY OF 12, WAS THE FIRST PERSON IN THE UNITED STATES TO MAKE AN ASCENT IN A BALLOON! BLAGDENBURY, MD., *June 24, 1784*... ALMOST 10 YEARS BEFORE BLANCHARD'S FLIGHT AT PHILADELPHIA, UNTIL ABOUT 1942 CONSIDERED THE FIRST!

THE UPPER SURFACE OF THE COLLARED LIZARD OF THE COCONINO PLATEAU OF NORTHERN ARIZONA CHANGES FROM *LIGHT GREEN* TO A *BLACKISH* COLOR DURING LOW TEMPERATURES THAT ACCOMPANY HAILSTORMS!

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STRAN

AVERAGE LETTERS IN SKYWRITING ARE NEARLY *2 MILES LONG!*

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CURLY KAYOE

by SAM LEFF

CURLY KAYOE HAS ELUDED BOBO SO FAR, FOLKS- OBVIOUSLY, THE CHAMPION WON'T TRADE PUNCHES WITH HIS KING-SIZE OPPONENT!

COME ON, CURLY- FIGHT BACK!

GO GET HIM, BOBO!

DANG IT! HOLD STILL SO'S I KIN HIT YOU JUST ONCE!

CLANG

YOU'LL CATCH CURLY IN THE NEXT ROUND, BOBO!

HE SURE IS A SNEAKY FELLA, CAPPY- JUST AS YOU SAID!

CLANG

YOU'RE DOING FINE, KID- JUST KEEP RIDING YOUR BIKE!

I CAN'T DO THAT ALL NIGHT, HAPPY- MY LEGS- WILL GIVE OUT!

WHEW! BOBO IS GETTING TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT!

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CURLY'S GONNA WEAR HIS SHOE SOLES THROUGH TO HIS FEET!

YEAH! EVEN IF HE LOSES- HE WILL BE THE NEW DISTANCE RUNNING CHAMP.

LOOK! CURLY HAS STOPPED RUNNING!

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OOOOFF

SAM LEFF